

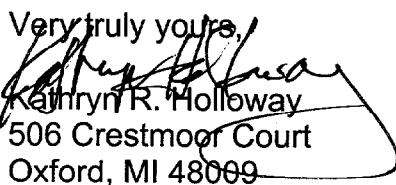
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Michael A. Friedman, Commissioner  
Food and Drug Administration  
Parklawn Bldg., 5600 Fishers Lane  
Rockville, MD 20857

Dear Mr. Friedman:

I have just recently researched the topic of needless animal testing for household and cosmetic purposes and came across the very disturbing news that you still mandate and support needless, cruel and obsolete animal testing for cosmetic and household products. I am writing to demand these companies stop this obsolete testing for pharmaceuticals and allow them to substitute "in vitro" tests for the safety of both humans and animals. It sickens me knowing that this testing is needlessly and inhumanly supported by you, and so many companies in the United States.

Very truly yours,

  
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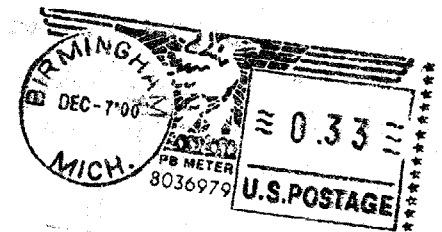
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